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We have now an authoritative account from the Committee of the Wisconsin Legislature of the destruction wrought by the fire of October last in that State. Fifteen hundred and eighty families, or about seven thousand persons in all, were rendered homeless and destitute, and have had to depend on charity for relief. We all know the generous response this appalling calamity called forth for Chicago and the devastated districts of the Northwest. It is gratifying to know that sufficient has been collected, in addition to the appropriation of the Wisconsin Legislature, to supply these people with provisions until June next, and that they will also receive agricultural implements, material for building, seeds, and provender for the cattle saved. A certain sum will probably also be laid aside as a permanent fund for the relief of the widows and orphans, and of those who were disabled in the fire. The whole burnt district is reported to be still in a wretched condition; the roads blocked by fallen timber and almost impassable.

The Maryland Legislature at its recent session passed a law making uniform the pay of county commissioners throughout the State, excepting those for Baltimore county. It provides that the pay of all county commissioners shall be three dollars per day, and ten cents per mile mileage for every mile over five miles, except the Commissioners of Baltimore county, who shall receive a salary of \$1,000 per year, including mileage, payable monthly.

The French officers have obtained satisfaction from Madagascar, and the intention of bombarding its principal seaport has been abandoned.

THE MARKETS.

MIDDLETOWN MARKET.	
Wheat	.....\$1.86 1/2
Corn	.....58
Oats	.....38
Timothy Seed	.....4.25
Butter	.....10 1/2
Eggs	.....10 1/2
Chickens	.....10 1/2
Ducks	.....10 1/2
Geese	.....10 1/2
WILMINGTON.	
Wheat, prime	.....\$1.86 1/2
Corn	.....58
Oats	.....38
Flour	.....7.50
PHILADELPHIA.	
Prime red wheat	.....\$1.86 1/2
Corn	.....58
Oats	.....38
Flour	.....7.50
Timothy	.....4.25

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Joseph Simpson will serve the people of Odessa and Middletown with pure Sweet Milk every morning, between the hours of 6 and 7 o'clock.

Corn Droppers for sale wholesale and retail at B. M. Reynolds', Middletown, Del.

W. M. Kennard & Co., 4th and King Streets, Wilmington, Del., will offer on Monday, April 22d, to continue until all are sold, the entire balance of CARPETS, OIL CLOTHS, and MATTINGS, at greatly reduced prices.

Corn Droppers.—Farmers call at S. M. Reynolds' and purchase a Corn Dropper. It drops with great regularity and precision, and saves time, labor and seed.

Ladies call at Hanson Bros., and see the celebrated Princess Brand Alpaca. Great care has been taken in the manufacture of these goods with regard to color, weight and texture, and in these respects they are acknowledged to be the best in the market. Prices—50, 65, 86 and \$1.00 per yard.

Alexis and Japanese Cloths, for Ladies Suits at Hanson Bros.

Hamburg Edgings and Insertings, Laces, Piques, Trimmings, and Plain Silk Neckties in assorted colors, for Spring. Dolly Varden Prints in large and small figures, at S. M. Reynolds'.

Mackerel No. 1 & 2 in tins, 10 lbs. and 5 lbs. also, Lobster, Eastport and Portland Herring, for sale low at Hanson Bros.

If you want a good cigar, go to John T. Elmer's, Main street, Middletown, Del.

All linen threadstock 100's, 12 1/2 cents, at Hanson Bros.

Just received, 2,000 fresh Boston Pickles, in vinegar, and for sale by the dozen or hundred at S. M. Reynolds'.

Hanson Bros. have in a beautiful assortment of Spring Goods, especially in the ladies line.

Fruits and vegetables preserved by the Alden Process, can be had of E. B. Rice, at the OLD BANK.

New Nos. 1, 2, and 3 Mackerel, in barrels and half barrels; No. 1 Portland Herring, Codfish, Sugar Cured Hams, Smoked Beef, and New York Factory Cheese, in store and for sale by S. M. Reynolds.

Corn and Corn Meal.—At the present time when so many persons are suffering from throat and lung diseases, they should bear in mind that Hanson's Corn Meal and Corn Meal never fails in curing Croup, Croup, Hoarseness, Pain in the throat and lungs. It is an excellent remedy for croup and hoarseness. No family should be without it. Beware of counterfeits. None genuine without the signature of Russell & Lane, proprietors, on the outside wrapper of each bottle. For sale at both drug stores in Middletown, at 50 cents a bottle. [Jan 6—3m.]

10,000 bushels of CORN wanted, for which the highest market price will be paid, on account of B. Johnson & Son. [Jan 6—3m.]

Henry Clayton,
Mt. Pleasant, Del.
BREEDER OF
Dark Brahma, Buff
AND
Partridge Cochins.

DARK BRAHMAS
Bred from Choice Importations of Clapp, Wade and Vanwinkle;

BUFF COCHINS
From W. H. Churchman's noted strains, and
PARTRIDGE COCHINS
From Choice Importations of Shaner and Britton.

Eggs For Sale,
ALSO, A FEW CHOICE COCKERELS.

All persons interested in Choice
Poultry are invited to come and
see my Breeding Fowls, and judge
for themselves.

Register's Order.

REGISTER'S OFFICE,
NEW CASTLE COUNTY, March 28th, 1872.
Upon the application of Richard T. Lockwood, Administrator of JONAS ANDERSON, late of St. Georges Hundred, in said County, deceased; it is ordered and directed by the Register, that the Administrator aforesaid give notice of the granting of Letters of Administration upon the Estate of the deceased, with the date of granting thereof, by causing advertisements to be posted within forty days from the date of such letters, in six of the most public places in the County of New Castle, requiring all persons having demands against the Estate, to present the same, or abide an Act of Assembly in such case made and provided. And also cause the same to be inserted within the same period in the Middletown Transcript, a newspaper published in Middletown, and to be continued therein two months.

NOTICE.—All persons having claims against the Estate of the deceased must present the same duly attested to the Administrator on or before March 28th, 1872, or abide an Act of Assembly in such case made and provided.

R. T. LOCKWOOD, Administrator.
apr 13—2m Address—Middletown, Del.

MARKET ST. FURNITURE STORE,
1019 Market Street, 1019
PHILADELPHIA.

BUY YOUR
FURNITURE
DIRECT FROM THE MANUFACTURER.

ROBERT WILSON
Cabinet-Maker & Upholsterer,
No. 1019 MARKET STREET, PHILADELPHIA.

Manufacture of, and Dealer in, Fine and Medium Furniture of all kinds, wholesale and retail.

ALSO, COTTAGE CHAMBER SUITS,
Mattresses, Bedding, Feather, &c., of every description. All goods warranted. All goods sold cheap for cash. [Apr 13—3m]

FOR MARKING LINES WITH INDELIBLE
INK
The only neat & reliable
manner of marking
lines with In-
delible Ink is
with one of my
Superior and Warranted Silver Name Plates.

Various styles made to order, with bottle of warranted indelible ink, French, box, &c., complete, sent by mail, postage paid, for 50 cents. Illustrated Circular of Designs sent free. Old English and Script Plates for marking free linen, engraved with name and address. 25 cents. Post-paid. Also every description of large stencil work, for marking Barrels, Bags, Wrapping-paper, &c. Alphabets and Numerals for marking Show Cards, Price Labels, &c. for store windows, all sizes, ready made Stencil Brushes, all colors of dry Stencil Ink, Baggage and Key Checks, &c. Burnish Brands and Steel Stamps. Notary Public Seals, &c. Orders by mail promptly attended to. Satisfaction guaranteed. Orders left at Worden & Evans' Peach Basket Factory will receive prompt attention. J. E. WORDEN, Railroad Station Stencil Dept., Next door to Saw Mill, Smyrna, Del.

Feb 3, 1872—ly

Real Estate Bulletin.
APRIL 13th.

A Desirable Frame Dwelling, on Lake street, west of Broad, Middletown; lot 20x125 feet—will be sold a great bargain.

A splendidly located farm of 250 acres, near Sudlersville, Queen Anne's county, Md. immediately upon the Railroad, only one mile from depot. Will be sold low and on reasonable terms. J. T. RUDD, Cor. Main & Cass Sts. Middletown, apr 13—3t

Flowers!!
TO THE LADIES,
I will have for sale, on and after April 13th, until further notice, a choice lot of Flowers, embracing the most beautiful and choice varieties.

APR. 13—3w. Cass St. Middletown, Del.

"The Track of the Traveller."

JOHN C. BYRNE, Esq. will deliver a lecture on the above subject, on Saturday evening, April 21st, in the Presbyterian Church, at 8 o'clock, for the benefit of the Saint Georges Library Association. Doors open at 7 o'clock. Commencement at 8 o'clock. Tickets, 50 cents; children under 15 years of age admitted at half price.

Millinery and Dress-Making
AT TOWNSEND, DEL.
Also, an assortment of Trimmings, Corsets, Handkerchiefs, &c. &c. kept on hand.

MARY A. CARTER. SALLIE C. SMITH.
April 13th.—3w.

GREAT BARGAINS.
For persons desirous of building this Spring, great bargains in building lots may be had by calling on

E. R. COCHRAN, Middletown, Del.
march 2, 1872—10w

FOR RENT.—TWO HOUSES ON ANDERSON ST. MIDDLETOWN, DEL. Possession given 25th of March. Apply to

ROBT. A. COCHRAN
march 2—ly

THE LARGEST CLOTHING HOUSE IN THE STATE.
DeWolf,
308 Market Street,
WILMINGTON, DEL.

Having enlarged my store, I have now on hand the largest and best selected stock of SPRING CLOTHING, for GENTS, YOUTHS and BOYS, in the State, which I am offering at Prices to suit all.

A separate Apartment for Boys Clothing. Good all wool Suits at \$10.
Call and examine before purchasing elsewhere. [April 6—6m.]

CARPETS.

J. E. & E. B. ORNE,

904 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia,

Have now opened the most Elegant Variety of New Carpets ever imported. Notwithstanding the great advance, J. E. & E. B. ORNE have determined to offer their entire Stock at old prices.

Tapestry Carpets, all the new Brussels styles in single and double widths. J. E. & E. B. ORNE are closing out the balance of last Season's Importations, Velvet and English Brussels Carpets, at heavy reduction in Price. Also an invoice of FRENCH AXMINSTER CARPETS at \$2.50 per yard. [April 6—2m]

"Goods are never advertised by this House as Bargains, unless they are actually under the market value."

CARPET DEPARTMENT.

FOR THE PRESENT.

CROSSLEY'S, DOUBLE CROSS, BEST English Tapestry Brussels,

\$1.50 Per Yard,
IN NEW AND FASHIONABLE DESIGNS.

BARGAINS IN INGRAIN, OIL CLOTHS & MATTINGS.

Granville Worrell,

220 AND 222 MARKET STREET,
WILMINGTON, DEL.

Jan 20, 1871—ly.

SHAWLS! SHAWLS! SHAWLS!!!

WATER-PROOF CLOAKINGS, HEAVY CANTON FLANNELS,

HEAVY-WOOL FLANNELS,

MALLIEUX'S KERSEY,

MEN'S HEAVY WINTER BOOTS,

&c. &c. &c.

SEWPRICK & COCHRAN,
MIDDLETOWN, DEL.

October 14, 1871—ly

FIRST GRAND OPENING OF SPRING DRESS FABRICS.

CACHMIRE DECOSE, A NEW ARTICLE.

CACHMIRE POPELINE FOR SUITS.

EPINGLINE RUSSES.

POPELINE CHAISE SOIRE FOR SUITS.

SILK WARP POPELINES.

POPELINE GAZE FOR SUITS.

RICH SILK WARP MOHAIRS.

ELEGANT SULTANA CLOTHS.

SILK SULTANA FOR SUITS.

NEW AND ELEGANT PLAIDS.

ENGLISH AND FRENCH CHINTZES.

GRANITE POPLINS.

CHERRY POPLINS.

MARLED MOHAIRS.

ALPACA, POPLINS.

EMPRESS POPLINS IN NEW SPRING SHADES.

SILK DEPARTMENT.

The only boutique at this time of the season with a full and complete assortment of Spring Silks.

200 PIECES OF STRIPED SILKS.

\$1.25 CENT STRIPED SILKS.

\$1.50 BLACK AND WHITE STRIPED SILKS.

\$1.75 BLACK AND GRAY STRIPED SILKS.

\$1.25 GRISILLE STRIPED SILKS, ALL COLORS.

\$1.50 STRIPED SILKS, ALL COLORS.

\$1.75 RAYE'S G. IS STRIPED SILKS.

\$1.25 PLAIN POLY DE SOIE, ALL SHADES.

\$1.50 PLAIN POLY DE SOIE, ALL SHADES.

\$1.75 VERY RICH POLY DE SOIE.

\$2.00 GROS DE SUEZ, ALL NEW SHADES.

\$2.25 TAFETTA BRILLIANT, VERY CHEAP.

POLY DE SOIE IN NEW DESIGNS.

JAPANESE SILKS.

400 PIECES IN STRIPES, PLAIN AND FIGURED.

STRAWBRIDGE & CLOTHIER,

S. W. CORNER EIGHTH AND MARKET STREETS,

PHILADELPHIA,

Sept 9, 1871—6mes.

228 EDWARD MOORE, 228

Manufacturer of FINE READY-MADE CLOTHING

FOR MEN AND BOYS.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

SPRING AND SUMMER CLOTHING

ON HAND, MADE UP IN THE LATEST STYLE AND BEST MANNER.

ALSO, A GREAT VARIETY OF

PIECE GOODS, for Order Work.

Apr 22—ly 228 MARKET ST. Wilmington, Del.

NEW JERSEY CHEMICAL CO.

AMMONIATED
SUPER-PHOSPHATE.

The NEW JERSEY CHEMICAL COMPANY having purchased the Chemical Works late of Potz & Klett, are now manufacturing Ammoniated Super-Phosphate of Lime fully equal in quality and condition to the Rhodes Super-Phosphate, formerly made by Potz & Klett, which has heretofore given such general satisfaction.

We are now prepared to furnish consumers and dealers with the above Super-Phosphate and shall be glad to supply our old customers and others. We also beg to call your attention to the

"ORCHILLA GUANO."

This Guano we receive direct from the Orchilla Island. Wherever it has been fairly tried it is pronounced one of the best and cheapest fertilizers in the market.

YAR NALL & TRIMBLE,
SOLE WHOLESALE AGENTS,
147 SOUTH FRONT STREET,
Philadelphia.

Mar 10—3ms 3f

Call at J. F. ELIASON'S, Lock-

wood's Corner, and examine his new stock of Fall and Winter Goods, and everything usually kept in a first-class country store. We are determined to sell goods low for Cash.

J. F. ELIASON.

Porous Drain Tile.

Egg-Shaped, 2 to 7 inches Calibre.

Round, with Collar, 12 to 24 inches Calibre.

Address, W. M. BELL,

Smyrna, Del.

Successor to Allen & Bell.

Respectfully refers to John C. Cresson, Esq.,

Chief Eng'r Fairmount Park; R. Morris Cope-

land, Esq. Ch. Eng'r Ridley Park, near Chester.

March 23—8m

CARRIAGES! CARRIAGES!!

Great inducements are offered to persons

wanting good carriages at

Alexander & Son's Carriage Works,

DELAWARE CITY, DEL.

They wish to inform their old customers and the public generally that they have on hand and

made to order

CARRIAGES OF EVERY DESCRIPTION,

and warranted to be of the best quality, which

they offer at reasonable prices.

Feb 24—3

FRUIT TREES

AND

SMALL FRUIT PLANTS

FOR SALE, AT ODESSA NURSERY,

ODESSA, DELAWARE.

PEACH, PEAR, & CHERRY TREES

FOR FALL PLANTING; ALSO,

SMALL FRUIT PLANTS

Of all kinds, and a general assortment of Nars-

ery stock.

POLK & HYATT.

sept 23—tf

COAL! COAL! COAL!!!

JUST received, a cargo of VERY SUPERIOR

COAL.

Stove.....22 1/2 lbs. \$7.00

Nut.....22 1/2 lbs. 6.00

All orders will receive prompt attention.

June 17—tf CHAS. T. STRATTON,

Odessa, Del.

FOR SALE.

200,000 GLANT ASPARAGUS PLANTS,

AND

50,000 OSAGE QUICKS

For Sale, at \$2 per thousand each, by

JAMES T. SHALLCROSS,

Odessa, Del.

Nov 11—tf

EARLY ROSE POTATOES.

EARLY ROSE POTATOES FOR SALE.

Apply to

March 30—tf JAMES T. SHALLCROSS.

Fruit Farms.

Persons in want of Desirable Fruit Farms

for homes or investments, are invited to ex-

amine our list before purchasing. No charge

made for showing land to bona fide purchasers.

J. T. RUDD, Real Estate Agent, &c.

Middletown, Del.

apr 13—3w

Early Rose Potatoes.

First Size, 50 cts. per bushel; 2nd size, (not

the smallest), 60 cts. per bushel. For sale

at the farm, one mile east of McDonough, Del.,

or delivered at the Railroad.

apr 13—2w D. B. HIGGINS.

MIDDLETOWN IRON FOUNDRY

AND

MACHINE SHOP.

Plows and Plow Castings, Machine Castings

of all kinds on hand or made to order.

Particular attention given to Repairing Machi-

nery. Cash for old iron.

WM. L. BECKE & SON,
Founders and Machinists.

Jan 4—tf

FOR RENT.

THE House on corner of Main and Cass streets

formerly occupied by Geo. W. Ingram.

Apply to

Mar 30—tf G. W. INGRAM.

CARPETS.

Wm. M. Kennard & Co.

Offer a full line of

Tapestry Brussels, Three Ply,

EXTRA FINE, MEDIUM AND LOW PRICE INGRAIS,

ENTRY AND STAIR, DUTCH WOOL, HEMP AND RAG CARPETS,

Dear Mr. Darling,
I have just received your letter of the 10th inst. and am glad to hear from you. I am well and hope this finds you the same. I have just received your letter of the 10th inst. and am glad to hear from you. I am well and hope this finds you the same. I have just received your letter of the 10th inst. and am glad to hear from you. I am well and hope this finds you the same.

THE GREAT FERTILIZER
RAW BONE
SUPER PHOSPHATE
STANDARD GUARANTEED
800 lbs.
MANUFACTURED BY
WALTON, WHANN & CO.
WILMINGTON, DEL.
DEPOTS:
303 WEST FRONT ST. WILMINGTON
303 SOUTH WHARVES, PHILADELPHIA
303 CHARLES STREET, BALTIMORE
303 FAIRFAX ST. ALEXANDRIA

The success of this renowned Fertilizer in all sections of the country, proves it to be the best and most complete Manure in the market. Possessing all the active properties of Pure Peruvian Guano, together with the more durable qualities of Diamond State Bone, it is unsurpassed in its effects on all crops.

DIAMOND STATE BONE MEAL,
AND
Diamond State Ground Bone,
The handiest and best articles in the market.
Pamphlets mailed free on application.
WALTON, WHANN & CO.
SOLE MANUFACTURERS,
STORES:
303 South Wharves, Philadelphia.
303 W. Front Street, Wilmington, Del.
303 E. Calvert Street, Baltimore.
March 30, 1872-17

1871. NEW STOCK 1871.
OF
FALL AND WINTER GOODS.
JUST RECEIVED, and to be sold at low prices.

FOR CASH!!!
All styles of LADIES' DRESS GOODS,
SHAWLS,
Ladies' Kid and Morocco Gaiters and Balmoral;
also, Morocco Shoes without heels.
Large variety of
NOTIONS AND FANCY GOODS.
CLOCKS, & C.

MEN'S AND BOYS'
FINE READY MADE CLOTHING,
Of various styles and makes.
CLOTHS AND CASSIMERES,
HATS AND CAPS,
Large stock of Men's and Boys' BOOTS, Gents' Fine Calf Boots, made to order, \$6.00 to \$7.00.

CARPETS AND OIL CLOTHS,
BUFFALO ROBES AND HORSE COVERS,
BLANKETS—White and Grey;
COVERLIDS,
CANNED VEGETABLES AND FRUITS.
Buyers will please call and examine our stock before purchasing as we are determined to sell low.
S. R. STEPHENS & CO.
Middletown, Del.
Sept. 26, 1871-17

TEMPLE OF FASHION!
ESTABLISHED 1857.
MRS. M. A. BINDER,
300 E. W. Corner Eleventh and Chestnut Sts.
PHILADELPHIA.
Importer and Designer of
PARD AND LONDON NOVELTIES.
Stagnant Trimmed Paper Patterns of Latest and most reliable styles, for ladies' and children's wear.
Sept. 26, 1871-17

B. B. RICE
OF
T. E. FERREE,
GENERAL PRODUCE
Merchant,
PHILADELPHIA.
APPLES, POULTRY, &c.
NEW YORK.

Landreth's Rural Register.
THERE must be some merit in a publication which has attained a popularity unprecedented, we believe, in this country. Works which reach a circulation of ten or twenty thousand are ranked as successful, and emphatically so if they double that number. But here we have a pamphlet, truly practical, indeed, of which over a hundred thousand copies of the edition of 1871 were distributed. What those of the present year may reach we can only conjecture. And it is not alone in English the little messenger reaches the public eye; translations in German and in Swedish are also demanded by that portion of our rural population not yet domesticated among us long enough to speak the language of their adopted country.

What a useful tool for the progress of the Landreth's teach—how plainly does it say, "hold fast to one business object"—"cherish one industrial idea,"—"be not diverted by the glitter of more promising pursuits than that in which we may be engaged, and which may entice only to disappoint."

More than three-quarters of a century ago, the predecessors of the Landreth's embarked in the seed trade; little by little, and it was little enough, as we are told, in the beginning, (at which time our confederation embraced thirteen colonies, and now grown to forty united States)—has the business of the Landreth's advanced and augmented, until now it is said to be the largest of the kind not only in this country, but in the world, and embraces six hundred acres in drilled and transplanted crops, under the personal charge of the proprietors, who themselves raise the seeds only of the choicer varieties of vegetables, which require special care—the corner stone being grown for their account by outside parties.

It is to give brief hints and instruct on to their customers, greater in the number of families than was the individuals, that composed the late army that the Rural Register has been printed.

We advise our readers who take pleasure in country life to obtain a copy, which may be had without charge, from Mr. E. T. Evans.
Feb 10-17

Farm Laborers and Domestic
TO BE SUPPLIED BY THE
Middletown Immigration Society!!

THE Middletown Immigration Society having been permanently organized, and having procured a competent and responsible agent, orders for domestics or farm laborers are solicited.

Each member ordering immigrants shall pay to the Treasurer of the Society at the time of order, six dollars for each and every man, woman or child ordered. He shall also, at the same time, give to the Treasurer a negotiable note, with an approved endorsement, dated February 10th, 1872, payable in sixty days from said date, for one-half the balance of the order.

Upon payment to the Treasurer as above farm laborers or domestics of either sex will be furnished at Middletown, with little delay as possible, who will enter into legal contracts to render service for a year from date of arrival.

Employers will be expected to furnish comfortable lodgings and board for their servants, and, at the end of the year, to give them dollars to each male and ten dollars to each female whose services have been satisfactory.

Our agent will be specially instructed and will endeavor to procure only such as have certificates of good character, and have experience in the duties of their several vocations.

All orders must describe particularly the age, sex, services to be required, &c.
For further particulars inquire of
Dr. G. TROUP MAXWELL,
Feb 3, 1872-17 Corresponding Secretary.

GIVEN AWAY!!!
Two Charming and Popular Works of Art!
"Wide Awake" and "Fast Asleep,"
An exquisite pair of French Oil Chromes. The subjects of which are life size and cannot fail to please all who love art or children.

THE publishers of THE CHRISTIAN UNION, being determined that the paper, which bears the editorial name and teaching of Henry Ward Beecher, should have every advantage on its mission of penetrating into every city and village of the world, sent one of their number to Europe last Spring to secure for a thoroughly meritorious and attractive work of art to accompany the paper in its canvass for subscribers.

Fortunately, he succeeded, and entering Paris from the East during its terrific storm of bombardment by the Versailles, he was able to make a very favorable arrangement with the proprietors of these exquisite chromes by which they are furnished at a rate entirely exceptional, making it possible to

PRESENT THE PAIR, (not mounted), to every annual subscriber to the Christian Union at \$3; or, mounted, sized, and varnished, ready for framing (the form most advantageous to the subscriber,) at \$3.25. Nothing but the fact that the regular market price of these beautiful pictures is \$10, thousands of them have been sold, and still are selling, in the picture stores. These pretty Chromes can be bought no cheaper now, but can be had for some time by subscribing to the Christian Union for one year. They are no common colored prints, but careful copies after paintings by Mrs. S. Anderson, an eminent English artist, printed in oil colors, from fifteen stones, executed by Delancey, of Paris, and of their size (10x12 inches), are equal to any chromes ever issued.
A. G. COX, AGENT,
Feb 3-17 Middletown, Del.

SOLUBLE PACIFIC GUANO!
PRICES REDUCED!
STANDARD GUARANTEED!

Farmers and Dealers are informed that this article contains all the requisite elements for a fertilizer that the soil will digest, and while it is quick in its action, it is permanent in its effect. The increased demand for this Guano in the Southern and Middle States, is a sure criterion of its value.

JNO. S. REESE & CO.,
General Agents,
122 South Delaware Avenue, Philadelphia.
We call the attention of Tobacco growers to this Guano.
LIBERAL DISCOUNT TO DEALERS.
March 2, 1872-GmJase

GOOD NEWS TO POULTERERS!!
CHOLERA IN POULTRY POSITIVELY CURED AND PREVENTED,
And cures in young chickens prevented, by using
THE GREAT REMEDY.
Prepared and for sale, wholesale and retail, by
SMOCKLEY & CO.,
Dover, Del.
Sole Agents at Middletown,
For sale by druggists everywhere.

FOR SALE.
THE subscriber will sell or exchange for land, a good piece of property in Warwick, now occupied by John H. Hayes, consisting of a dwelling house, barn, stable, and about one acre and a half of land.
J. H. COLLINS,
Warwick, N. H.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.
THE subscriber will sell or exchange for land, a good piece of property in Warwick, now occupied by John H. Hayes, consisting of a dwelling house, barn, stable, and about one acre and a half of land.
J. H. COLLINS,
Warwick, N. H.

PETERSON'S MAGAZINE.
CHEAPEST AND BEST OF ALL!
SPLendid OFFERS for 1872.
THIS popular Monthly Magazine gives more for the money than any in the world. It has the best colored fashions, the best original stories, and the best engravings of any lady's book. Great and costly improvements will be made in 1872, when it will contain

ONE THOUSAND PAGES!
FOURTEEN SPLENDID STEEL PLATES!
TWELVE COL. BERLIN PATTERNS!
TWELVE MAMMOTH COL. FASHIONS!
ONE THOUSAND WOOD CUTS!
FRANK-FOUR PAGES OF MUSIC!

All this will be given for only Two Dollars a year, or a dollar less than magazines of the class of "Peterson." It is

Thrilling Tales and Novelties
Are the best published anywhere. All the most popular writers are employed to write originally for "Peterson." In 1872, in addition to its usual quantity of short stories, FIVE ORIGINAL COPYRIGHT NOVELS will be given, viz: BOUNTY by a Packer, by Ann S. Stephens; THE ISLAND OF DIAMONDS, by Harry Danforth; ONE FROM OCEAN, by Frank Forth; LADY'S LOCK, by Miss F. Hodgson; and A WIFE, YET NOT A WIFE, by the author of "The Second Chance." It is

Mammoth Colored Fashion Plates
Ahead of all others. These plates are engraved on steel, twice the usual size, and contain six figures. They will be superbly colored. Also, several pages of beautiful and other receipts; in short, everything interesting to ladies.

TERMS—Always in Advance:
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	7:20	Delmar	10:35	8:10
	7:30	Delmar	10:45	8:20
A. M.	7:00	Kirkwood	10:55	7:10
	7:10	Delmar	11:05	7:20
	7:20	156 Middlebrook	11:15	7:30
	7:35	125 Townsend	11:25	7:40
	7:40	60 Blackbird	11:35	7:50
	7:50	118 Hawthorn	11:45	8:00
	8:15	125 Clayton	11:55	8:10
	8:10	140 Smiths	12:05	8:20
	8:15	145 Smyrna	12:15	7:30
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	8:25	145 Brentz	12:25	8:10
	8:30	200	12:30	8:20
	8:35	115 Morton	12:40	8:30
	8:45	210 Dover	12:50	8:40
	8:50	230 Wyoming	12:55	8:45
	9:00	245 Woodside	13:05	8:55
	9:25	300 Canterbury	13:20	9:00
	9:30	305 Felton	13:30	9:05
	9:40	315 Harrison	13:40	9:15
	9:45	320 Milford	13:50	9:20
	9:55	333 Farmington	14:00	
	10:15	355 Bridgeville	14:20	1:37
	11:45	525 Seaford	14:55	1:55
	P. M.	Laurel	15:05	2:05
	1:05	810 Delmar	15:15	2:15